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SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF NEW HEAD OF THE EC COMMISSION DELEGATION
IN WASHINGTON

REF: EC BRUSSELS 5698

1. THE EC COMMISSION HAS NOW GIVEN US, AS PROMISED (REFTEL) THE DRAFT TEXTS IT WAS PREPARED OF A NOTE VERBALE OFFICIALLY INFORMING THE MISSION OF KRAG'S APPOINTMENT AS HEAD OF THE EC COMMISSION DELEGATION IN WASHINGTON AND OF THE LETTER OF CREDENCE FROM EC COMMISSION VICE PRESIDENT SIR CHRISTOPHER SOAMES WHICH DRAG WOULD DELIVER TO THE SECRETARY WHEN HE ASSUMES OFFICE NEXT JANUARY.

2. THE DRAFT OF THE NOTE VERBALE IS AS FOLLOWS:
QUOTE THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES MISSION TO THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AND HAS THE HONOUR TO INFORM THE MISSION THAT IT HAS APPOINTED MR. JENS OTTO DRAG, FORMER PRIME MINISTER OF DENMARK, AS THE HEAD OF ITS DELEGATION IN THE UNITED STATES, SUCCEEDING AMBASSADOR A.M. MAZIO, WHO RETIRES AT THE END OF THE YEAR. MR.
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JENS OTTO DRAG WILL TAKE UP HIS FUNCTIONS ON 1 JANUARY 1974.

THE COMMISSION WELCOMES THE OPPORTUNITY TO RENEW TO THE UNITED STATES MISSION TO THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES THE ASSURANCE OF ITS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. UNQUOTE.

3. THE DRAFT OF THE LETTER OF CREDENCE IS AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE: YOUR EXCELLENCY,
I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM YOU THAT THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES HAS APPOINTED MR. JENS OTTO DRAG, FORMER PRIME MINISTER OF DENMARK, TO SUCCEED TO AMBASSADOR A.M. MAZIO AS HEAD OF ITS DELEGATION IN THE UNITED STATES ON THE 1ST JANUARY 1974.

MR. DRAG WILL PRESENT THIS LETTER TO YOUR EXCELLENCY. IN THE NAME OF THE COMMISSION I WOULD ASK THAT YOU RECEIVE HIM AS HEAD OF ITS DELEGATION AND ACCEPT AS AUTHORITATIVE ALL THE COMMUNICATIONS HE MAKES TO YOU ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

IT IS WITH PLEASURE THAT I AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONVEY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY THE EXPRESSION OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. UNQUOTE.

4. WE WOULD APPRECIATE AN EARLY RESPONSE WITH THE DEPARMENT'S COMMENTS AND/OR APPROVAL OF THESE TEXTS FOR THE COMMISSION. GREENWALD

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